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Art Unit: 1615

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated June 30, 2004 finally rejecting claims 1-6, 8-10, 13-15 and 17-20.

The appeal fee was paid in a previous appeal herein. The examiner re-opened prosecution prior to any decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences. No fee is now due.

Respectfully submitted,

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